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DE PONCI'S BONANZA.

Buried Treasures Recovered - A htory With a Dashs of Christmas In it.

Houston Telegraph. Yesterday afternoon we met an aged man, evidently of French extraction, who told us that he had "struck a streak what counts." Sharing in his delight, at the same time eager to strike an item, we interviewed Le Messieur on biantreak, and thus be unbosomed himself:

He said that his family name was well known in this country, but for reasons best known to himself he withheld it from this reporter. He wenld say that he himself was best known as Paul De Ponci (as near as we could remember). When the war between Texas and Mexin Monclovas, Mexico. He followed the Mexican army in the capacity of satler, and shared the fortunes of the army until the battle of San Jacinto.

possession, and feeling, perhaps, that \$1 the ticket. misfortune would sooner or later overtake the Mexicans, on the morning of that memorable battle he buried his wealth beneath a clump of bushes a mile private soldier, was among the captured and paroled as Santa Anna's vanquished army. But in his mind he had "spotted" the locality where he had buried his doubloons.

find the battle-ground, he started out in joke of those times. search of his hidden wealth. A hunt of two days repaid him for all his toil. He found his money-\$1800 in Mexican gold coin. Tall trees now mark the spot where he buried his wealth beneath a ward weapons, there is really simost as

Providential.

George Walter Boche, P. A. Engineer, U. S. Navy and U. S. Monitor, on the Saugus, writing from Pensacola Bay, Florida, under date of December 17th, says: "Last night we had a thunder and lightmeng storm, and afterwards a heavy blow from the N. E. It rained for awhile by one of the two combatants grows foriously. About a quarter of eleven weary, allowing his monstrous jowls to o'clock I thought I would look out and be thrust sideways or upward, and im-mediately, with marvelous celerity, the successful beast drives his armed snout board. As it was raining at the time, I walked under the lee of the smoke pipe on the burricane deck, when immediately a frightful squeal and an inglorious re-treat on the part of the vanquished monster. I thought I heard from the midst of the gloom calls for help. To reassure my-aelf I called the man on watch to listen, For the elephant fight proper the contending pairs are carefully trained and prepared beforehand with stimulating had a boat lowered, and with two firemen food and drugs, and advantage is also taken of that periodical frenzy displayed in the male elephant which is known as must. At such a time of natural excite- teen minutes' pull against wind and tide ment the elephant becomes herce and I came up with two men in a skiff, who formidable even to his keeper, and only had been dumped overboard from a to lead two such beasts forth into the aloop that had capsized about four miles arens, and show them for a moment the up the hay away from us. One of the waving trunk of the distant female, promen was in the greatest distress about reno, and show them for a moment the waving trunk of the distant female, promise through care to Eastern Clies. For sale at all the Tiese Offices in the South and Southwest.

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FACTS AND FANCIES.

The Jesuits have long had a Chinese College in Naples for the propagation of the true faith.

Miss Cary was slarmed at the Russian yell, but found the shower of diamonds Select Layer Raisins, and bouquets grateful to the nerves.

I like America; it is a lovely country. " Wherever I sing they insist on encoring every song, so that if my name

A Paris letter says the Americans are not at all behind the Russians as accomhe is defeated, and quite declines to plished sakters, and there are two or stand up to any needless punishment. three Americans in Paris who can hold their own with the best of the world. Brigham Young has begun the erec-

tion of a massive stone wall around ten rods of soil, wherein are to be baried It wants considerable skill at such himself and the chice lights of his family. An adjacent mountain plateau can be added for his wives.

Dorrence Atwater, American Consul for the Society Islands, has married the Princess Moetia, a wealthy native lady, whose right to rule, though she has not asserted it, is equal to that asserted by they "live to fight another day," pro-vided that the tusks have not been fitted Queen Pomare. She is educated, accomplished and beautiful.

Dumas writes to say that his new comedy is receiving the finishing touches, like a house that is already built, and only waiting for its gildings and paper hangings to be inhabited. The world is waiting for L'Etrangere, which is perhaps as justifiable and momentous a process as Babcock's whisky ring cungeries. Such is life, made up of all things-even of sneezes, if you will.

In Paris rinks for skating on rollers have been established in the Champs Elysees, affording fashionable amusement. There was hardly a need of establishing them for the natives, who are always on rollers, sliding not treading ice broke out, or rather when Santa on the earth's surface; accordingly the Anna invaded Texas, he was a merchant proprietors of the said establisment acnounce to distinguished foreign gentlemen and ladies, residing in the laughinggas Capital, that patronage is chiefly Having a large sum of money in his expected from them on Wednesday, at

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